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MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR, INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY STAFF 11A 3-SK

SUBJECT: Competitive Strategies Senior Intelligence Committee (SIC) Meeting

Reference: OSD/CS Memorandum, 7 April 1988, subject: Support for the Competitive Strategies Initiative.

1. After the last SIC meeting, 5 April, Mr. Dennis Kloske forwarded the referenced memorandum to the Committee Chairman requesting a paper on Soviet changes in military doctrine, perceptions of the nature of a future war, and the effect of these changes and perceptions on future Soviet operations and force development. He also asked for an evaluation of the four leverages developed in the first Competitive Strategies Task Force report and an estimate by the SIC of possible future Soviet responses to the four leverages. As you know, several members of a SIC working group are presently working full-time on this assessment, under the lead of DIA's Executive Director, Mr.

Gordon Negus, to meet an early June 1988 due date to Mr. Kloske.

2. Now that the SIC working group is nearing completion of this assessment, the SIC should plan to meet when the paper will be presented to Mr. Kloske along with a briefing of its key findings. A senior review group, representing each of the SIC principals, will coordinate on the work prior to the meeting of the SIC. Mr. Kloske has agreed to meet with the SIC for this presentation on 17 June 1988, 1400-1530 in the DIA conference room 3E267 in the Pentagon. Mr. Gordon Negus will chair the meeting in the absence of the Director. If this date and time are suitable, please have your staff indicate your acceptance to the DIA point of contact, DE-TAO, 373-2577.

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